

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 8585

Takashi OHSAKO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003 1364A

Serial No. 10/677,221 : Group Art Unit 2823

Filed October 3, 2003 : Examiner Joannie Garcia

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR ELEMENT Mail Stop: Amendment

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 31, 2006, a Petition for a one-month extension of time being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE IN A DESIGNENCY IN THE FEET OF DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0375